

ESTD 1692
HARTENBERG
WINE ESTATE



RIESLING

2016

One of the world's noble grape varieties. It has the smallest bunches and berries of all white varieties, thereby imparting immense flavour and concentration to the resultant wines. Added to this, is the distinction that few other white varieties are able to mature to their betterment, for decades, like the best global examples of Riesling are able to.

AWARDS

2015 Vintage	Tim Atkin 92 points
2014 Vintage	Tim Atkin 93 points
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2013 Vintage	Veritas 2015 Gold Medal
2013 Vintage	4 stars Platter's SA Wine Guide
2012 Vintage	4 stars Platter's SA Wine Guide
2011 Vintage	4 stars Platter's SA Wine Guide
2010 Vintage	Gold medal Riesling du Monde Strasbourg 2012 Gold Medal Veritas 2012 (SA) 4 stars Platter's SA Wine Guide, 91 points Robert Parker
2009 Vintage	Gold medal Veritas (SA) Gold medal 5 Nations Challenge (Australia)
2008 Vintage	4 stars Platter's SA Wine Guide
Prev vintages	Old Mutual Museum Class Trophy for 1999 Riesling (2010)

Planted on loamy, clay-rich, Avalon soils. Harvested entirely by hand, at daybreak, to respect the delicateness of this variety. Bunch & berry sorting happened in the vineyard, thereby ensuring that only the healthiest grapes arrive at the cellar. About 25% of the grapes showed positive presence of Botrytis.

FOOD MATCHING

Smoked trout terrine, Thai inspired foods, bobotie, peri-peri chicken livers

TASTING NOTE

Initial lanolin, hay and tropical notes combine with lovely floral aromas of lemon blossom and honeysuckle. Opulent, creamy and melted on the palate entry with touches of Botrytis and flintiness ending with a perfectly balanced acidity.

TECHNICAL & PRODUCTION

Maturation	Up to 6 years from vintage
Alcohol	13% by volume
Residual Sugar	2.3g/l
Total Acid	7.1 g/l
pH	3.18

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